

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 717

By Crowe

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Megan Gammon upon an extraordinary basketball career at King College.

WHEREAS, this General Assembly is pleased to specially honor and commend those successful collegiate athletes who, through their magnificent exploits, bring honor to the State of Tennessee and serve as exceptional ambassadors of this State; and

WHEREAS, Megan Gammon, a King College women's basketball senior, recently completed her outstanding collegiate basketball career with the Lady Tornadoes; and

WHEREAS, the daughter of Lanny and Sandy Gammon, Megan Gammon attended South Greene High School; and

WHEREAS, continuing her high school basketball success at the collegiate level, Megan Gammon has made many valuable contributions to team chemistry and performance during one of the most successful four-year periods in Lady Tornado basketball history; and

WHEREAS, during her four years at King College, Ms. Gammon helped the Lady Tornadoes win an amazing seventy-six games; and

WHEREAS, playing in the guard position, Megan Gammon compiled 1,264 points, 365 rebounds, 421 assists, and 167 steals during her estimable career; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Gammon ranks third in career three-point field goal percentage, third in career free throws, fourth in career assists, fourth in career three-point field goals, and fifth in career games played; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to honors and accolades, Megan Gammon was named to the 2005 and 2006 All-AAC Academic Team; and

WHEREAS, Megan Gammon's determination, work ethic, and talent have not only made possible a memorable and successful basketball career, but also surely point toward her success in every future endeavor; and

WHEREAS, displaying uncommon dedication and character, Ms. Gammon has excelled in the classroom as an elementary education major, as well as on the basketball court; and

WHEREAS, Megan Gammon epitomizes the spirit of volunteerism and commitment to excellence that are characteristic of all true Tennesseans; and

WHEREAS, this legislative body should specially recognize Megan Gammon for her significant accomplishments in collegiate basketball; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we honor and congratulate Megan Gammon upon an outstanding basketball career at King College, commend her commitment to excellence in every endeavor, and wish her every success in her upcoming career in elementary education.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.